RICHMOND, VA. WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 1891.

VEW COURT FORMED.

PEF- JUSTICE FULLER, JUDGES Meloney, of Maryland, Clerk,

ad Fx-Judge Thomas S. Atkins, of This City, Marshal-Lawyers Qualify. the attendance in the United States ourt room yesterday was probaor than it has been since the day when the bail bond of

Davis was signed there. at occasion the Chief Justice of States presided. The cause of being the organization of

minutes past 12 o'clock the luige. Bond and Jackson en-m. All present rose until the rod in black silk gowns, were id sat to the right of the Chief Jackson on his left, over the bar, the Chief Jus-reason for the formation of the rad, was to avoid the

then read an order designackson, of West Virginia, as if the court until an appoint-

a Disparch man that every ap-had received had been under ministration. From this it would be must have been Chief-Justic, although he is a resident of Ba-me to Richmond with Judge Bond will bring to his new place th hearly thirty years as a court cler-

ans S. Atkins, the new Marshal,

ANNUAL RAILROAD MEETINGS.

dehmond and Chesapeake Stockhabters to Confer To-Day.

day the stockholders of the

Litension of Authority.

H. Green, general manager of mond and Danville system, has stal orders making the following an-

was sho. Rev. Preston Nash, who has interested himself very much in the case, presented the petition.

The application for executive elemency of Ward Rawles, sentenced in December, 1850, to six years in the penitentiary, was refused.

The Governor has received an invitation to attend a o'clock in the afternoon. Tree to sourch during the Revolutionary after years his son had a race-course we farm.

A Scorchie.

day was the hottest day the Rich.

chester.

At 3 o'clock the dedication proper will occur.

Sermon to be preached by Rev. W. E. Hatcher,
D. D. Rev. Drs. George Cooper, J. M. Fross, R.

H. Pitt, and Theodore Whitheld are expected to
the present and take part in this service. Former
members and friends of the church living in
Richmond and vicinity are cordially invited to attend these dedicatory exercises. The ladies of
the church will serve dinner after the 12 o'clock
service.

TWENTY-SEVEN YEARS AGO. A Memorable Sixteenth of Jone for the Blues Before Petersburg.

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After the capture of our lines in front of Potersburg on the 15th of June, 1884, the Blues were ordered to occupy the space from State of the 15th of June, 1884, the Blues were ordered to occupy the space from State of the 15th of June, 1884, the State of the State of Sta

tone.
The series of engagements on 17th June, 1864, n which the Blues took a very prominent part segan about midday and did not cease until 1 belock A. M. of the 18th.
General Henry A. Wise complimented the Blues very highly for their gallant conduct on the compliment.

Interment at Oakwood.

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Only a few months ago three gentlemen far advanced in years met on Main street near the bisparce office, and talking over the interesting things of the day went back to their boyhood days and lived over again the many happy hours of that period of their lives.

They had all been schoolmates here in this city in the early part of the century. They spoke of the many scrapes which they had gotten into and no doubt of the floggings which had been administered to them, and their merry laughter betokened the interest which was folt in thus recalling those long-past hours. But they have

HE MISSED THIRTY-FIVE. This Led to the Explosion that Caused Elizabeth Holmes' Death.

Dr. Lewis Bosher, in assuming the posi-tion of Coroner in Dr. Taylor's absence, ound some work to do almost immediately. He

Months-Other Important Cases.

The cases of consequence at the Police Jourt yesterday morning were as follows: James Henderson (colored), larceny of one ox of shoes valued at \$5, property of H. C. and b. D. Brown. Continued till June 20th. Charles Hull, berling Henry Christian on the treat. Find \$5 and costs.

The Governor yesterday pardoned Robert Blackwell, who in June, 1890, was sentenced in the County Court of Campbell to three years in the penitentiary for house-burning. Blackwell was indicted jointly with two others. One of these was acquitted and the other ran away. The house burned was unoccupied, and the presumption is that the men did not intend to commit areou, but built a fire in the building in order to keep warm. Blackwell had previously borne a good character and his parden was recommended by the trial under and others.

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The Governor has also pardoned George Branzall, a youth of sixteen, sentenced to three months in jail in the Hustings Court of this city last month for minicious shooting. Branzall is a youth of previous good character, and his application for pardon was endorsed by Judge Witt, the Commonwealth's endorsed by Judge Witt, the Commonwealth's Attorney, and the father of the young man who was shot. Rev. Preston Nash, who has interested himself very much in the case, presented the petition.

The iron work for the bridge to connect Allen & Ginter's factory on the northeast corner of Sixth and Cary streets with their box-factory on the south side of Cary street was being put in

EDUCATE THE HANDS.

DR. CURRY SPEAKS BEFORE THE COUNCIL ON MANUAL TRAINING.

Labor the Only Producer of Wealth-The American School System Too Literary-Committee to Confer.

The Board of Aldermen and Common Council held a special joint session last night to hear an address from Hon. J. L. M. Curry on "Manual Labor in the In addition to the councilmen and al-

RELATIONS OF EDUCATION TO INDUSTRY.

"The legislator and political economist cannot safely ignore the relation of education to industry. The United States have made greater provision for universal education than any nation in Europe. More money is given. More children are at school, but they are far behind in what has been done for industrial education. In France, Germany, Belgium, and the other States of the Old World, literary education is accompanied—complemented—by industrial training. This inferiority is strange, as ours is a government for the people. Our instruction is too exclusively literary and theoretical. We educate away from productive industry and out of the ranks of labor. Education is of too little practical value, and boys and girls when they leave school are little fitted for occupations of life. Often they know enough but have little capacity. They have had no manual training, no technic instruction, and are distinctined to manual labor. The trend, talk, teaching in the school-room ignore industrial pursuits. The preference, naturally, when the pupils leave school is for what their education has had most connection. The boys seek for stores and banks. It is lamentably, painfully true that they find these places of business before they get a decent education. Last night when the diplomas were awarded at the High School hearly all of them were given to girls. Clerks are useful, but they produce nothing; they add not one deliar to the real wealth of Richmond.

"Our school and college training is defective partial, one-sided, too limited in scope, is didactive. The Kindergatten is right in principle and has changed methods and purposes instruction. Merely intellectual studies have too much monopolized time and thought, new era has dawned. We are on the threshof great dunational reforms. Horetofore whave educated as if all were to be lawyers, do fors, moretuants, bankers, preachers. Now, we

TRADE SCHOOLS AND THEIR OBJECT.

(b) "Trade schools, where the trade is commed with general instruction. These are increased a personal results of the proper and in some merican eitnes, and are for young men and ween in trades. The trade schools of Colone ucknuty in New York are on a different principle. Their object is to enable young men to are a trade and improve themselves. Concepted on the principle of teaching thoroughly ne work should be done and leaving the quieks required of a first-class mechanic to be ac-

THE COMMITTEE TO CONFER.

Dr. CHITY's address consumed a little over an hour in its delivery, and was freely interpolated with the applainse of his hearers. At its conclusion Mr. Stration, with a few introductory remarks, moved that the Committee on Schools be instructed to confer with Dr. Curry and report an ordinance for an appropriation to establish manual instruction in the schools. The Chair ruled Mr. Stration's motion out of order.

Alderman Mitchell (colored) also endorsed the remarks of Dr. Curry for his spiendid address. The rules were suspended on motion of Mr. Stration, and by a unanimous vote the Committee on Schools was authorized to confer with Dr. Curry with regard to the introduction of manual instructions into the schools.

Manchester News Notes.

Israel Sydney, the negro who was arrested for robbing the hen-house of Mr. Joseph was more and the was unoccure men did in the fidney was an old offender; that he airmster by the trial character by the trial defects of the state of the state

possible.
Mr. A. T. Snellings is having the store corner of Twelfth and Hull streets (Burk's corner) neatly atted up for a drugstore.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Newport News, hampton and Old Point Development Company was held yesterday in Wilkinson's Hail, with Captain L. T. Christian presiding. A resolution was unanimously adopted thanking the President and Board of Directors for their efficient and economical management of the affairs of the company. The Order of Hibernians

At a meeting of the Ancient Order of ibernians held at their hall, Twenty-sixth and race screets, Monday night, the following offi-race screets, President, J. J. Daly; Vice-

Rankin, F. Keegan, and Daniel Higgins. Standing Committee: M. J. O'Connor, D. F. Neenan, Daniel Higgins, P. H. Donahoe, and Philip O'Neil. Finance Committee: D. F. Neenan, James Rankin, and John McKinley. The society is in a very flourishing condition, initiating from four to five at every meeting.

PIC-NIC OF RICHMOND LODGE. Pleasant Odd-Fellows Reunion at Young's

Pond-Harry Won the Donkey. Richmond Lodge, No. 1, the newest addition in this city to that brotherhood whose motto is Friendship, Love, and Truth, held its third annual reunion and pic-nic yesterday at Young's Pond, a pleasant locality with unbrarons and aureas surroundlurs, some three processing the property of the property of the process of the

and Main and Belvidere Hall about 9 o'clock, but some two hours elapsed ere the convoy was asfelly lodged in the recesses of its sought-for woody surroundings.

All HAD A 600D TIME.

Assembled there the gathering proceeded to enjoy itself in dancing, foot-ball, wheelbarrow races, three-legged races, boating, sack races, quoits, tig-of-war race, croquet, etc. M. B. Ramos, Esq., of No. 1, had thoughtfully provided an Upright Grand Knabe plano to assist the orchestra and its music was highly appreciated. There was every consolation provided for the interior delectation of the most exacting mortal and these were discussed more or less during the day and with zest. Better punch never offered itself a willing sacrifice to the thirst which willingly participated in its downpour, and the milder solution of lemonade was to the queer's tasts. Those who preferred were served with creamy lager. Among the enticing edibles was a huge pot of clam-chowder. This was prepared by a brother knowing, not only in the ways of the bivalve in question, but with a prepared by a brother knowing, not only in the ways of the bivalve in question, but with a prempted right to give it effect in unapproachable chowder. He did so; at least thus it was voted.

ME WON THE DONKEY.

Model and March and Belving the enticing the provided for the impression.

Next was Mr. Payne, of the Agricultural and Mechanical College, who spoke on a "Vision of Mechanical College, who spoke on a "Vision of Mechanical College, was introduced and spoke on the "Impending Crisis." He is an excellent speaker and dhi well.

Fire me Mr. B. C. Bondurant, of Hampden-sidney, followed in a beautiful pseech on the "Palladian of American Liberty." He sustained his former record as a speaker.

Mr. H. L. Smith, of the University, next apoke on "Luther Before the Diet of Worms." His speaker.

SOME WHO WERE THERE.

A speech was expected from Mayor Ellyson, a

In the City Circuit Court yesterday, in necase of Dalsheimer & Boother against Grigg & ross, judgment was rendered in favor of the laintiff for \$162, with interest from May 22,

fill take place from the Third Presbyterian hurch THIS (Wednesday) EVENING at 5:30 Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Personals and Briefs. Mr. Allan Talbott has gone North on busi-

Mr. William T. Martin, of Manchester, con-Mr. N. D. Hargrove and bride have returned from their northern tour. Miss Bessle Lowis, of Brunswick, is visiting Mrs. John Jackson, No. 110 north Seventh

Mr. J. D. Odell, a prominent New Kent Dem

Mesers, W. F. Crump and D. J. Quinn have re-irned from the International Typographical nion, which met in Boston. Mr. L. T. W. Bullifant and bride (Miss Colgate Brehett, of Richmond), have reached their homa a Surry county from their northern trip. Mrs. sullus A. Hobson and Miss Mary Lizzle Iolson left yesterday for Washington, where hey will be the guests of Mr. M. C. Figg, former y of this city.

The name of Master Preston Atkins was acci-

entally omitted yesterday from the list of first-onor pupils of the Fourth Primary A, Elba chool, Miss A. E. Laube, teacher.

The Second Presbyterian church will be closed dx weeks this summer for renovation. It will be repainted and recarpeted. The work will probably not be commenced before August. The cases of William and Henry Taylor, harged with assault on Thomas Claytor, which mue up for trial in the Henrico County Coursesterday, were continued until the July term.

The trustees a large state of the annual commence-less exercises. Rev. E. R. Acree, of the First aptist church, Petersburg, is here to attend a seeling of the Committee of Instruction of the

THERMOMETER WAY UP.

Visitors to and from Scottsville-A Concert-Religious.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]

arreonage fund.

Rev. B. A. Abbott, of Charlottesville, will preach here next Sunday at the Disciples' church and continue the meeting through the week fol-

Patents and Postmasters. [Special telegram to the Dispatch-]

Washington, June 16.—Patents were is-Fourth-class postmasters were appeared as as follows:
North Carolina—F. Walker, Absher's, Wilkes county, vice G. V. Absher, deceased; R. F. Vannoy, Horton, Watauga county, vice M. A. Elrod, resigned.
Virginia—N. Coffman, Cabin Hill, Shenandoah county, vice H. H. Coffman, resigned; J. M. Beverly, Darwin, Dickenson county, vice F. Stanley, resigned; W. C. White, Vallena, Fluvanna county, rice E. L. Pleasants, resigned.

Bakemore, Mr., June 16.—Virginia 3's, 64%; Baltimore and Onto stock, 85 bid; Northern Cen-tral stock, 64 asked; consolidated gas bonds, 113 asked: do. stock, 44% bid.

THE COMMENCEMENT

GRADS AND UNDER GRADS.

The Inter-Collegiate Oratorical Contest at Hampden-Sidney-Bondurant the Victor-Other Institutions.

[Special telegram to the Dispatch.] HAMPDEN-SIDNEY, VA., June 15 .- An immense audience witnessed the first intercollegiate oratorical contest last night. Stirring strains of music added inspiration to the occasion. The exercises began promptly at 8:30 o'clock with prayer by Rev. Dr. White, after which Mr. C. W. Sommerville in a graceful manner intro-

ison of American Liberty." He sustained his ormer record as a speaker.
Mr. H. L. Smith, of the University, next apoke on "Luther Before the Diet of Worms," His speech was impressively beautiful and his de-ivery exceedingly graceful.
Mesers. Eason of kandolph-Macon, Huttle and Frantz of Romoke College were in turn intro-duced, and all made notably good speeches.

After a few minutes the judges rendered a decision in favor of Mr. Bondurant, of Hampden-Sidney, the announcement of which met the approbation of all present. The victor is a graduate in this year's senior class and stands high in

Final Celebration of the Literary Societies-Festivities-Scholarships. (Special telegram to the Dispatch.)

LEXINGTON, VA., June 16.—The final celebration of the literary societies of Washlagton and Lee University took place in the chapel of the University before a brilliant and elence tenight. Weber's Band turnished the music. W. R. Vance was president of the Washlagton were Malcoling the president of the Graham Lee Society. The orators for the Washlagton were Malcolin Bruce, of Virginia—subject, "Protection," and Miles Poindexter, of Virginia—subject, "Duties of Citizenship," The orators for the Graham Lee were F. N. Hudsen, of Arkaness—subject, "The Original-Package Decision and States' Rights," and R. E. Lee, Jr.—subject, "Virginia's Fast Information of the Constitution."

The Washlagton Society's declaimers were J. W. Weshlagton Society's declaimers were J. W. Schuley of Teasts subject. "The Nights."

An address from President Collins was follow

THE MEDALS TO-DAY.

The medals for oratory and declamation will be awarded to-morrow.

The morning german was opened by D. L. Groner, of Norfolk, and Miss Norvell Otey, of Lynchburg. It was the largest ever had hore, thirty-six couples being on the floor. Mrs. Fitzbugh Lee and Mrs. Edward H. Murrell, of Lynchburg, were the chaperons.

Miss Otey will open the final ball June 17th with Mr. Groner.

OREEK CHAPTER GERMAN.

GREEK CHAPTER GERMAN. The Phi Delta Theta Society gave a german to-night. The several secret fraternities will close the school with symposia. The diplomas, &c., will be delivered to-morrow, the 17th.

The boat-club is practicing for the regatta in Richmond the 4th of July.

The town is full of beautiful girls from Richmond, Staunton, Charlottesville, and other counts.

SCHOLARSHIP.

H. W. Pratt, of Lexington, gets the New Frankiin Society scholarship. E. L. Green, Florida,
the F. O. Frerch scholarship. M. H. Arnold, the
Howard Hogston Fellowship; Samuel Hendren,
of Staunton, the Byerly scholarship. The Maplesen scholarship lies between F. A. Nelson, of

The Medals and Distinctions and Whittle

EPISCOPAL HIGH SCHOOL.

Prizes Awarded. [Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch-]

of Hanever: Charles J. Kinselving, Jr., of Maryland; Lewis H. Machen, of Fairfax, and Lauren D. Pullman, of Missouri.

OTHER PRIZES.

The Johns prize was taken by William W. Old, Jr., of Norfolk, and the highest honor of the school, the Mende prize, by Henry Carrington Riely, of Hailfax.

The Liggett junior prize medal for excellence in general scholarship was awarded to James Cowan Greenway, of Arkansas, the Wilson prize medal for English composition to Overton Westfeldt Price, of North Carolina, and the Hanewinckel prize medal for mathematics to Charles Levin Hepturn, of Hanover.

The singing of the Garia in Excelsia and the benediction by the Rev. Kindch Nelson, D. D., ended the exercises. After the blessing the Duice Bounum, according to the custom, was sung.

President Smith's Report. rrespondence of the Richmond Dispatch.] THE PRESIDENT'S REPORT.

TRE PRESIDENT'S REPORT.

The annual report of Professor W. W. Smith, president of Kan of al-Macon College, Randolph-Macon Academy as fedford City, the new academy for females at Lynchburg, and also the one at Front Royal, *a, read. In the first part of it he spoke very flattering of the work done by Professor King in the baysical department at Randolph-Macon College, and also of the able assistance given by Rev. Mr. Young, of the same piace, to Professor Kern, who occupies the chair of Biblical literature. These gentlemen have lately come to this college.

REMARKABLE INCREASE.

TO RECT NEW TRUSTEES.

will take place to till vacancies which now exist.
To morrow the regular exercises of the college proper begin. A number of visitors have already arrived, but the usual large gathering will not be until to morrow.

PIEDMONT FEMALE INSTITUTE. Concerts and Soirces at Other Schools

Exercises at the Seminary. [Special telegram to the Dispatch.]

(Special telegram to the Dispatch.)

CHARLOTTESVILL, VA., June 16.—The closing exercises of the Piedmont Femalo Institute took place last evening when the diplomas, certificates of distinction, and prizes were given out. The final musical concert takes place on Weduesday night.

A very enjoyable soirce musicals took place at the school of Miss Eva Cleveland to-night at which her scholars acquitted themselves in a manner that reflected great credit on their teacher, who is a most accomplished musician.

The final exercise of the first session of the Charlottesville Female Seminary took place last night before a large audience. The programme was made up of piano solos, duets, &c., recitations, and essays. This school is under the auspices of the Presbyterian Church and has been very successful from the start.

Enjoy the Detachment's Exhibition.

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Last night the Howitzer drill-team gave an interesting entertainment to the battery and their friends, the latter including a large number of ladies.

The parade-ground in rear of the armory presented a beautiful sight. In addition to the moon's soft rays the open space was brilliantly illuminated with arc and headlights, which beamed on the artillerymen as they adrottly manipulated their gun.

Ropes enclosed a smilleient space for the team to drill. Around this circle were hundreds of camp-chairs occupied by the lady friends of the battery, and judging by the manner in which they applianced they both appreciated and enjoyed the skifful drilling. The small boy was there, too, with his summer yell.

It was ten minutes to 9 when Sorgeant Starke commanded "Fall in," and in five minutes morn his team were hard at work, and although it was very warm they drilled quielly and smoothly without hitch or break. The programme, which consisted of forty-two movements, was executed in twenty-six minutes, which was rapid drilling. Changing wheels, diemounting, and mounting piece and carriage and working with diminished numbers were particularly well executed. After drilling fifteen minutes the men were rested for four minutes, during which time the East-End Band played one of their most inspiring selections. The programme was then finished and the amendative and a selection of the dealers of the paradeground amid deafening applayses. A great many old Howitzers and other veterans were present and no one there enjoyed the beautiful handling of the guns more than they.

After the drill the guests were invited into the assembly-room, where four long tables were laden with refreshments and beautifully decorated with flowers. Fully two hundred people were sacted, and the gallant young artillerymen vied with each other in waiting upon and attending to the wants of their guests.

The Idoutzers are favorites with the ladies, and deservedly so. No millary company, King Rex's flag, which was presented

End of the Morris-Park Meeting-The Suburban To-Day. New York, June 15 .- The spring meeting New York, June 15.—The sayring meeting at Morris Park was brought to a close to-day before one of the smallest crowds of the season. The weather was intensely hot. The card was a miserably poor one, and again the majority of race-goers were saving their money and energies for the Suburban to-morrow. The track was in first-class shape, but the racing was of a core inferior quality.

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First race—seven furlongs, purse \$1,000—
Indua Rubber won; Walcott second, Flavia third. Time, 1:28,

Second race—beaten horses, purse \$1,000 added, one mile and a furlong—
Ifaceland won; Missive second. Time, 1:574. Only two starters.

Third race—purse \$1,250, for beaten horses—L'Intriguante won under a pull; India Rubber second, Trinity third, Time, 1:44. Fourth race—purse \$1,000, six furlongs— Dr. Wilcox won: Disappointment second, Arnold third. Time, 1:14. Fifth race—purse \$1,000, mile—King-ston won: Surplus second, Punster third.

Time, 1:43.

Sixth race—six furlongs, heats for purse \$1,500—Cynosure won; Riot second, Lynn third. Time, 1:13%, Second heat—Cynosure won the heat and the race by three parts of a length from Lynn, who beat

Blue Jeans a neck. Time, 1:13%. SHEEPSHEAD ENTRIES FOR TO-DAY-THE GREAT

SUBURBAN.

First race—five eighths of a mile—Eon, Volunteer, 124; Civil Service, Tormentor, 122; Correction, Fairy, Annie, 106.
Second race—five eighths of a mile, double event—Nomad, St. Florian, 125; King Mac, Airplant, Victory, Vestibule, His Highness, 118; Othmar, 113.

Third race—one and three-sixteenths miles, selling—Algernoon, Portchester, 112; Kitty T., Tammany, Hoodium, 107; Sequence (colt), 105; Lillian, 103; Second Favorite, 102.

Fourth race—one quarter of a mile, the great suburban handicap—Tenny, 128;

great suburban handicap—Tenny, 128; Riley, 125; Raceland, 124; Judge Morrow, 123; Tea-Tray, 118; Demuth, 116; Cassius, Diablo, 115; Banquet, Loantaka, 110; Fitz James, 168; Drizzle, 107; English Lady, 105; Major Domo, 104; Isaac Lewis, Odette, 105 : Major Dollo, Fr. 105 : Mico. 90.
Si: Rico. 90.
Firth race—one and one-eighth miles—Tristan, 138; Terrifier, 111; Strideaway, Gallifer, Jim Clare, 108; Bermuda, 107; Jack High, 104; Obi, Vivid, 103.
Sixth race—one mile on the turf, spring turf stakes—Madstone, St. John, Longstreet, 126; Rico, 122; Lord, Harry, 107; 1976.

Street, 126; Lizzie, 192.
Lizzie, 192.
Seventh race—one and one sixteenth miles on the turf, selling—Watterson, 132; Kingstock, Little Jim, Gettysburg, Vardec, 121; Humdrum, 196; Vintage Time (filly), THE GLOUCESTER BACES. Groucesten, June 15.—To-day's events

KILRAIN KNOCKED OUT. Slavin Defeats Jake in the Ninth Round

for a Purse of \$10,000. [By telegraph to the Dispatch.] (By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

Horoken, N. J., June 16.—Slavin and Kilrain met to-night at the rooms of the Granite Club. The understanding was that the men were to box ten rounds. Marquis of Queensbury rules, for a \$10,000 purse, put up by the Granite Association, and that of this sum the winner was to get \$7,500 and loser \$2,500. Slavin won the match in the ninth round.

Accident to a Richmond Man in South Africa.

Monday Major Lewis Ginter received a cablegram from Cape Town, South Africa, saying that Mr. Randolph Bolling, of this city, and who is a travelling salesman for the Richmond branch of the American Tobacco Company, had while out riding fallen from his horse and had his leg badly broken. Major Ginter imminately telegraphed for particulars and yesterlay received a reply that the accident had rendered amputation necessary but all danger of lockjaw was passed. Mr. Bolling has been travelling in the East for some time in the same interest in which he is now employed.

GLOCCESTER, N. J., June 16.—Following are the results of the events to-day:
First race—four and one-quarter furlongs—Lure won; Maggie Beck second, Nominee third. Time, 50%.
Second race—one and one-sixteenth miles—Alan Archer won; Question second, Harzburg third. Time, 1:31%.
Third race—one-half mile—Milledan won; Budd Errin second, Eddie M. third. Time, 50%.
Fourth race—six and a half furlongs—Planter won; Tioga second, Wanderer third. Time, 1:30%.

AN ELECTRIC CATASTROPHE House Struck by Lightning-Pic-Nick

Injured and One Killed. (By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

Sr. Louis, June 16.—During a severe storm which came up between 1 and 2 o'clock this afternoon some twenty-five pic-nickers were huddled together in an out-bonse in Forest Park, near the police-station, for protection from rain. They had scarcely got inside of the building when it was struck by lighting. Nearly all the occupants of the out-house were more or less injured, one being killed and three very scriously hurt. Following is a list of the casualties: Miss Sadio McArthur, aged twelve years, dead; Mrs. Lizzie Gelten, badly injured; Miss kate Bender, burned and other wise seriously hurt; Miss Laura Beauclerae seriously injured. All the tojured were taken home and medical aid summoned. None of them are fatally injured.

An Effective Association Formed-Office

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., June 16.—The Executive Committee of the State Funeral Directors' Associations of Georgia, Alabama, and Mississippi neld a joint meeting here to-day and directors and A. B. Wagner, of Meridian, was elected president; M. F. Fleming, of Georgia, vice-president; Samuel Garner, of Mississippi, secretary, and John D. Miller, of Birraingham, commissioner. The purpose of the organization is to work for harmony and uniformity in the trade of three States. They adopted regular bylaws and a constitution and represent over five hundred undertakers in the three States named. (By telegraph to the Dispatch.) The Howltzer Battery and Many Ladles

Increase of Members-Excellent Condition of the Association-Reports.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] [By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

St. Lours, June 16.—In the session of the railway telegraphers to-day the report of the Grand Chief Telegrapher shows that there has been great activity among organizers, the membership being increased very materially. The Secretary's report showed a membership of 10,000 in good standing, while the treasury is in excellent condition. The balance of the mornaing session was taken up by the appointment of regular standing committees, to which was referred the accumulated business on the Secretary's table.

The Disparch of this morning honored me with a notice of the luncheon served at Believine on Thursday of last week.

The gleave to say that the entertainment referred to was in no way exceptional nor at all peculiar to the Believine principal. Every principal gare his teachers an entertainment precisely similar as a fitting close to the session's week, and an hour was spent very delightfully in such social amentines as have no place in the regular programme of the school.

This custom has prevailed amongst us for many years, and ts always of pleasure and encomen.

Genore R. Pace.

June 16, 1891.

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Close of the Conservatory. The Conservatory of Music gave its ninth au-nual entertainment at the Young Men's Chris-ian Association last night. As is usual at their final concerts the house was well filled by an au-

applause.

Miss Eille Prince displayed artistic instinct and taste as well as good technique in the interpretation of Chopin's beautiful Scherzo in B flat

Watkins.
The chorus, for young ladies, "The Reapers," closes the enjoyable entertainment.
Medals for improvement in plane-playing were presented by Eldridge Hatcher and and Garland Pollard to Miss Ellie Prince and others. The pupils of Miss Tanner's music class assembled at the pariors of their teacher yesterday afterneon at 5 o'clock and rendered several very difficult selections, after which the honors were awarded by Rev. D. F. Spriggs, D. D. First honor, a handsome goid medal, was awarded Miss Estelle Anderson, of this city.

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